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The Editor's Vacation.

F. L. S.

Thursday morning, June 22d, 1893 at Sedalia, entered the cycles of time glorified by clear skies and a brilliant sun. A storm during the night had knocked the torrid heat into the Gulf | Spring Chicken, of Mexico, and the air was cool and bracing. The level prairies offered no Spring Lamb and Mint Sauce, impediment to its free circulation, and all day long it toyed with light dresses, streaming ribbons, and the family wash Brick Ice Cream, upon the clothesline.

Sedalia, her Jefferson City neighbors say, has the bump of self-esteem well developed. It may be this is true, but it is an effect with sufficient cause. She is a well-rounded bud of promise grafted upon as fine a country as ever gladdened the eye of man and minis tered to his comforts. The streets are in excellent condition, the buildings worthy a city of the first-class, as are her water-works, electric plants, hotels etc. Street railways (electric) give ready and rapid transit to her people, as well as the straugers within he She is accessible from all points of the compass by rail. The country around her is one vast garden spot No wonder that she is rapidly grow ing, and that the sounds of axes, ham mers and all other tools of iron are heard on every hand. Sedalia is not the Capital of the great State of Missouri, but, better, she deserves to be. At 10 o'clock we resumed our journey, and about two hours later entered the precincts of the growing town of Clinton. We had no pre-arrangements as to a lodging place here, and so at a venture struck for the Hotel Woods despite the enticing sound of "Artesian Park Hotel" as sweetly voiced by an attending hackman. No doubt the wings of a guardian angel fanned our placid brow at this moment, and left a large posse of less fortunate quill-drivers to be led a mile from town to a strictly Temperance Hotel, whose chies characteristics are a devout proprietor, a flowing sulphur well and a lot of hunger-inducing attempts at toniness.

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Thursday afternoon at three o'clock the Association was called to order by President Kirby, and from that time until adjournment Saturday afternoon, the business went on in its order. It is not our purpose now to speak of it. The official report will shortly be printed, and no doubt when read the world will move promptly forward another step in its slow but never-ceasing march toward the Should-Be.

Friday night the good citizens of Clinton gave us a banquet at the Artesian Park Hotel, and plates were laid for over three hundred guests. The guards with colored Knight Templars, good ladies had provided every good their wives, and sisters, and sweetthing that grows upon ground or is hearts, and also three brass bands of fished up from the waters fresh and the same complexion. There were salt. The menu was "out of sight" about five hundred excursionists, of all to put it forcibly, if not elegantly-and, sizes, both sexes, and infinite variety of we regret to add, to many of us, it has tint. The brass bands made the air so remained to date. We may as well hum with enlivening strains of excelprint the bill of fare, and so here it is: lent music. About a hundred K. T.'s

MENU. Cantelope. Bouillion-Salted, Almonds. Crackers, Buns and Butter. Mashed Potatoes. (mush-room sauce) Cucumber. (Tomato Sauce), Frog Legs, Peas.

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Assorted Fruits. As above stated, the citizens, headed M. K. & T. to Hannibal, and thence by by the ladies of the town—as fair and the Burlington Route to the windy sweet ladies, too, as ever gave beauty city. With no mishap to delay, th and grace to delightful occasion-provided the good things in abundance. and in exquisite manner fashioned them for the table. The service and its details were left to the landlord, and the requisite number of supes were called in and drilled. At nine o'clock the guests were seated and the little army of waiters filed down the room, it being intended for each one of them to take his place at a table, to serve it and no other. But just as the head of the brigade had gotten half-way down, the chairman rapped for order, and called on a reverend gentleman to bless the good things about to be placed before us. The blessing was invoked in a few terse sentences, and would have been applauded, save that applause doesn't go on such occasion. But the waiters, halted suddenly before they had reached their several stations, were disordered and apparently unable to resume the march so gallantly begun. From that time until we left all was in a chaotic state. Some tables were served with cantaloupe three times, while those adjoining were kept in unsatisfied suspense. The young ladies of Clinton, dressed as they were, in their best bibs and tuckers, threw themselves into the breach, pinned up their dresses, donned aprons, and eventually brought somewhat of order out of the confusion. We sat from 9:15 to 11:15, when we retired. Up to the latter date,

brewing on the outside, and vivid flashes of lightning accompanied with rolls of thunder warned us that our hotel was a mile away, we were impelled to wish. forego the good things that were certain Clinton Quartette, who enlivened the occasion with excellent vocal music. Their opening selection was a "Cham-We know that the "Bouillon-Salted," had set us terribly athirst, and the song made us sin the sin of liquid de-

"Bouillon-Salted." and "Almonds,"

had been reached. As a storm was

Saturday morning at 9 o'clock, the members of the Association were treatand it must suffice to say that every- man, of more than ordinary common saved by this romedy. It is not thing within the bounds of Clinton sense, and you can rest assured that he county are justly proud of a new court-house just finished at a cost of fifty thousand dollars. It is a noble struct-ure, built of Warrensburgh stone, and men we have, are those who, while The grounds about it are ample, and, of patriotism, have not really love tion shall have been removed, and the ficient thought to questions of political

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granitoid walks completed, will be very beautiful. This morning came in an excursion train from Kansas City loaded to the

in full uniform headed the procession, which paraded the principal streets of Olives, the town. It made things lively all day-and wasn't it a plenic for all the darkies for miles around! No white conclave could have put on more stlye, the favored hundred in cocked hats,

plumes, swords and gauntlets.

The work of the Association was con-

cluded about noon, and the remainder of the day was a go-as-you-please for everybody. The special train of Wagners steamed into the depot at nine o'clock, and two hours later the Mis souri Press Association began its flight to Chicago. The route lay over the train would reach its destination at 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon. But a heavy rain-storm washed out the track in the low lands near Hannibal, and we were held back three hours at a little country station in consequence. However, we reached Hannibal in time for a good breakfast. While at table, a delegation of ladies came in and attached a beautiful boutinaire to the lapel o each editor's Prince Albert: a tribute from the Courier publishers. It was a graceful courtesy, and captured the good-will and thanks of every recipient. In que season, the special steamed out of Hannibal, across the river, and our faces were turned in earnest toward the city on the lake. The run across the prairies is always made at high speed, but in our case the engineer threw the throttle wide open and we fairly flew. Making up one hour of the time lost by the washout, we were pulled into the Union Depot about the hour of six, and behold all Chicago and the great Columbian Exposition lay prostrate before our conquering host.

The account of our sojourn, its incidents and accidents, will await another week without decay of interest, we

Murrayville, Ills.

Harvest is here, as some commenced cutting wheat on the 1st of July. Wheat will yield fairly to the acre, but the acreage is comparatively small. Much corn had to be planted the second and third time, and is late, but it is clean, and the weather all one could

Some of our people have visited the to come ere Aurora's rosy light should World's Fair, and more are going; but awake the coming morn. Those who after all, the large majority cannot afwearied not in waiting feasted on a ford it and stay away. The opening profusion of good things elegantly pre- of the World's Fair on Sunday, has among the special inspectors and also pared. As we were leaving we were given great offense to the class in whose among higher officers in the Puget told that the proprietor of the hotel mouth butter would hardly melt: but | Sound region. The Geary law was enhad been very greatly offended by the it is hard to see how Senators and Rep- acted chiefly on the ground that, in resentatives, sworn to observe the spite of the stringency of the existing Constitution of the United States, could exclusion acts, Chinamen were smugmake a grant, conditioned upon the gled into the country in great num pagne Song," and the host felt that it observance of a religious day, when the was out of place in a Prohibition sum- Constitution forbids the making of any was the only mode of determining who mer resort! Perhaps he was right. law with respect to any religious ob- were the interlopers. But be that as it servance or institution. If it is desired to bring the seventh day into disrespect, the quickest way is to try to force people to observe it.

Republicans here are frothing at the mouth, over the pardons granted by ed to a drive over the town and suburbs. Altgeld to the three anarchists in the and thus given an opportunity of penitentiary. Of course they call it seeing the elegant residences and paying for the anarchistic vote; but cine known as Chamberlain's Colle. thriving business houses and factories Gov. Altgeld openly took the same which make this one of the most de- position, in which he now stands dursirable interior cities in the State. Of ing the trial, and long before his nomcourse, we cannot go into detail here, ination. He is a thoroughly educated more persons, whose lives have bears evidence of thrift, wealth and knows what he is doing; and has the others. The praise that follows its inpermanency. The citizens of the moral courage to do what is right ,no troduction and use makes it imp fitted with all modern conveniences, they slop over with their professions many a poor mortal. when all the scars and debris of erec- enough for their country to give suf-

economy to enable them to speak, act, or vote intelligently.

Mr. Cleveland's Wall street friends seem to have succeeded in getting him to change his plans, and call the extra session earlier than he intended. If they succeed in fobying Congress down to the gold basis, Mr. Cleveland's cornfield friends are going to do something more than howl. There is but one safe course to pursue in this matter: take the whole matter out of the hands of Congress, and fix the weight and fineness of coin and secure unlimited coinage by Constitutional provision. In many things we gate too much, and instruct too this matter of money is one things. I have a silver dollar boos; me a or tip-toed to the dignity assumed by class in Congress WLFmen politiknocks one-fourth, or one hird, of the value out of that dollar, yet make no provision for replacing my silver dollar with a gold one, my clipped dollar with a whole one; this is robbery,

We must go a little further, too, and deny to any legislative body, the power to makes laws enforcing private contracts. The enforcement of contracts between private parties is not a proper function of government, and should be prohibited; then there would be no inducements to tamper with the currency, especially if we also had the single tax, and men were not forced to purchase their right to life, liberty, WM. CAMM. July 3d, 1893.

More Work for the Axe.

Heads have been falling fast in the Treasury Department offices of the far Northwest, particularly in the Puget Sound and Portland districts.

Smuggling, of both Chinese and opium, has been carried on in that region to such an extent, of late years, as to be a national scandal. Puget Sound. with its vast extent, its numerous islands where a small boat may temporarily land her passengers or her contraband goods, and its proximity to Victoria, offers very great advantages to this illicit traffic. The rich rewards for those who are successful in it make them take great risks. As for opium, the heavy duty on it and the comparative ease with which it is conealed in small packages make the unlawful introduction of it constant and in the aggregate enormous. We find cases of the bold landing of Chinamen

further down on the coast, also. But, as this was not enough, the neglect and incompetency, if not the connivance, of some Federal officers are said to have aided this smuggling. Special Agents Wood and Lewis have been making investigations for Scoretary Carlisle, and the Secretary seems to have become convinced that if he is to break up this business, he must have to help him subordinates whom he knows about and is willing to be responsible for, rather than those who have come to him from years past, and

for whom he cannot youch. Many removals have been made so that the registering of those here may, if official complicity or negligence aids this unlawful traffic, it is time for

The President has been justified in putting on guard men whom he can trust, in place of those left over by the Harrison Administration. -N. Y. Sun.

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